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Mr. Paul Stacey
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79 Elm Street
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Dear Mr. Stacey:

As a concerned citizen in Southington, I feel it is extremely important to pass the proposed regulations on stream flow standards. However, I would like to see Class 4 removed from the regulations before they are passed.

The Quinnipiac River is an important river to our Town, passing through its entire length. The potential threat of this river, or any river, being written off as a Class 4 river would be disastrous for the environment. I feel that all rivers and streams in our State require some level of real maintenance and none should be written off.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "A. Horner", written over the typed name.

Allen E. Horner